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## Constitutional Amendment Will Change Farm Land Assessment

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California's position as the top state in agricultural production will probably continue longer if voters approve a constitutional amendment which was adopted at our recent session. The measure relates to the assessment of land used exclusively for agricultural purposes, and its intent is to save such land from being gobbled up for other purposes.

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Something like this. Farmer A owns ten acres of level land, close to a city, which he has cultivated for a number of years. Its true value for farm purposes is \$1500 per acre. However, its potential value for subdivision or industrial uses, or the owner applies for regular assessment, the land uses, or the owner applies for regular assessment, the land is immediately subject to additional taxes, plus interest, equal to the difference between those actually paid, and those does not have a constitutional amendment is the culmination of years of study and hard work by Legislators, county and city assessors, realiors, and the sum uses, or the owner applies for regular assessment, the land uses, or the owner applies for regular assessment, the land used dictional taxes, plus interest, equal to the difference between those actually paid, and those does not be basis of high-revalue. Such additional tax.

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Harvey Aluminum, Inc., received seven awards totaling \$485,154 for piston assemblies and research and decrease opposed to the expectation of the Legislature.

Returning to Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, June 1, aboard the surveying ship USS Maury after completing a seven month This proposed constitutional amendment is the culmination of years of study and hard of years of study and hard work by Legislators, county

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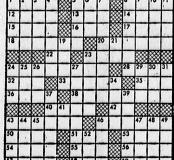
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